

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)
 Sushma Shrikant Trivedi)
 Serial No.: 10/038,431)
 Filed: Dec. 31, 2001)
 For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
 COMPUTING VECTOR ABSOLUTE)
 DIFFERENCES)

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time to file this response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2006. The extended period is set to expire on May 12, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a one month extension of time.

Please charge any shortages and credit any overages to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN

Dated: May 10, 2006

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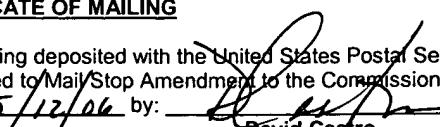
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